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London, November 25.

Yesterday came in a Mail from France, with the following Advices.

Paris, November 20.

LETTERS from Corunna of the 15th Instant give an Account of the fitting out two new Ships of War, to take under their Convoy seven Merchant-Ships richly laden, which were arrived from New-Spain, and had been obliged by contrary Winds to put into that Port; and that so soon as they are refitted, they will proceed on their Voyage to Cadiz to unlade their Cargoes, at which Place they have been some time expected.

Advices from Gironne of the foregoing Date say, that the greatest part of the Troops which had been quartered in that Province, are now on their March to rendezvous under the Cannon of Barcelona: That a good Number of the new Levies which the Governours of that Province had been commanded to raise, are actually arrived at the Camp at Tarragona; and that the Levies which the Magistrates were obliged to raise, were preparing to march to the same Place.

By some private Letters from Madrid, we are informed that the Abbé de Monray, Archbishop of Bezançon, being on his Return from his Embassy in Portugal, and lately arrived in that City, has there lost his Sight, which Misfortune retards his Arrival at Paris.

The King of Spain having published his Orders for prohibiting all Commerce with France by Sea and Land, an Ordinance is therefore soon to be published here, as also in all the Ports of this Kingdom, and on the Frontiers towards Spain, forbidding all Commerce with the Spaniards: Notwithstanding these Steps in point of Precaution against the Plague, several Ministers of the Neighbouring Powers are actually arrived at Cambray. The King has confer'd the rich Abbacy of St. Steven of Caen, vacated by the Death of the late Cardinal de la Tremouille, and worth 40000 Livres a Year, upon the Cardinal de Mailly, Archbishop of Rheims, to enable him beforehand to defray the extraordinary Charges he is obliged to sustain at the Ceremony of his Majesty's Coronation. The Abbot M. Bignon, Library Keeper to the King, has obtained Leave to remove part of the Books of his Majesty's Library into the Plan-Gallery; seven Windows length of that Gallery being to be secluded from the other Part; accordingly the Plano are removed further into the Gallery, and the rest of the King's Library is to be placed in the Appartments adjoyning. His Majesty is in perfect Health; he applies himself every Morning to the Study of the Mathematicks, Geography, and other Sciences; and in the Afternoons he partakes of the usual Diversions at Court. Notwithstanding the Methods taken for preventing Paper-Commerce in all Places, excepting with the Agents of Exchange, the Stockjobbers have not yet left off meeting at the Court of the Bank, and negociate there as publickly almost as formerly upon the Exchange. The Surprize was exceeding great of late among the Proprietors of Actions, when they heard the Arrêt of the 27th Instant published, for annulling the Actions of such Proprietors as shall not carry in their Loan of 150 Livres per Action by the 20th of next December, towards raising the Sum of 22,500,000 Livres to be lent to the India Company for one Year, at an Interest of 4 per Cent: Two Thirds of the said 150 Livres are to be paid in Money, and the other Third in Bank Bills: And for Distinction sake, a Third Seal is to be placed to the Actions of such as shall comply with the said Arrêt. The Actions are at 4800 Livres. Bills of 100 Livres, at 135 the small ones in Proportion. The cutting those of 1000 Livres is at 100. The Mark of Gold at 10000. The Current Accompts in Bank gain 30 Livres per Cent upon each Bill. A Grand Council was held Yesterday at the Palace Royal; and to Day there is to be a General Assembly at the Bank, at which the Duke Regent is to be present. The Arrêt for carrying in the Loan of 150 Livres per Action, is as follows, viz.

An Arrêt of the King's Council of State.

UPON what has been represented to his Majesty, being in his Council, by the Directors of the India Company, that the different Branches of Trade they are charged with, and the Engagements the Company has entred into with his Majesty, would require a Supply of 22,500,000 Livres; That it appears to them, the properest Method to raise that Sum, would be by borrowing it of the Proprietors of the said Company, who being to participate of the Profits of its Establishment, ought likewise to contribute to the necessary Expences of its Support; to which Purpose, they have resolved in their Meeting of this Day, to create a Loan of the aforesaid Sum of Twenty two millions five hundred thousand Livres, at the Rate of 150 Livres per Action, two Thirds to be paid in Pistoles, according to the present Standard, and one other Third in Bank Bills, with Interest at 4 per Cent, to be comprehended in the Bills of Loan, which are to be made payable in one Year, and signed by three Directors: Upon which, the said Company have made humble Application to his Majesty; and the King being in his Council, by Advice of M. the Duke of Orleans, Regent, has permitted, and does hereby permit the Directors of the India Company, conformable to their Resolution of this Day, to borrow of the Proprietors of the said Company the said Sum of 22,500,000 Livres, at the Rate of 150 Livres per Action, two Thirds in Pistoles, according to the present Standard, and one other Third in Bills of the Bank, with Interest of 4 per Cent upon the whole, to be comprehended in the Bills of Loan, signed by three Directors, and to be made payable in one Year; the Fund arising from that Loan shall be employed in Commerce to be carried on by the Company, and the Engagements entred into with his Majesty. His Majesty further Commands, that the Actions of such Proprietors as shall not carry in the said Loan of 150 Livres per Action, by the 20th of December next, shall be declared null; and that a Third Seal be placed to the Actions of such of the Proprietors who shall have complied with the Contents of this present Arrêt against the aforesaid Time, when their sealed Actions shall be re-delivered to them upon the Spot; his Majesty hereby derogates from all former Dispositions contrary to this present Arrêt. Done in the King's Council of State, his Majesty being present, held at Paris the 27th of November, 1720. Signed

Phelypeaux.

London, November 24.

We hear that a Scheme is prepared and very near settled for restoring the Publick Credit, which requiring some Days to be reduced into Method, the Parliament will be further prorogued to Thursday Sen-night, the 8th of December.

London, November 25.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 196, 180, 183, to 180. First Subscription at 20 per Cent Discount. Second Subscription at 10 per Cent Discount. Third Subscription no Price. Bank 143, to 140. India 165, to 160. African 45. Royal Exchange Assurance 10 1 half. London Assurance 12 1 half.

The Court of Directors of the Corporation of the Royal Exchange Assurance give Notice, that Pursuant to the Powers given them by a General Court held the 21th Instant, they have appointed the Sale of Transferable Shares at their Office on the Royal Exchange, this Day the 25th Instant, from 10 in the Morning till 4 in the Afternoon; and that Subscription Books will be open'd accordingly, each Subscriber then paying down the Amount of the Shares Subscribed.

The Annual Feast of the Sons of the Clergy will be held at Merchant-Taylor's-Hall on Thursday the 8th of December next. Tickets may be had at Mr. Hussey's, Haberdasher at Hatts, near the Rainbow Coffee-house, and at the Rainbow Coffee-house by Temple Bar; at Capstack's Coffee-house in Flying Horse Court near St. Dunstan's Church, Fleetstreet; at Anderton's Coffee-house, Fleetstreet; at Batson's Coffee-house over against the Royal Exchange; Lloyd's Coffee-house, Lombard Street; the Chapter and Child's Coffee-houses in St. Paul's Church-yard; Pool's Coffee-house without Bishopsgate; Oliver's Coffee-house at Westminster Hall Gate; Gyles's Coffee-house in the Pall-Mall; at the Crown Coffee-house behind Grey's Inn Walks; at the Rolls Coffee-house in Chancery-Lane; and at Tomson's Coffee-house at the Corner of George street, Hanover-square. N.B. Stewards are provided for the Year ensuing. Mr. Purcell's Te Deum will be vocally and Instrumentally perform'd at St. Paul's, and those Gentlemen that bring Feast Tickets will be admitted into the Choir.

AT the King's Theatre in the Hay-Market, To-morrow, being Saturday, the 26th of November, will be perform'd a New Opera, call'd, ASTARTUS. The Pit and Boxes to be put together, and no Person whatever to be admitted without Tickets, which will be deliver'd out this Day, at Mrs. White's Chocolate-house in St. James's-street, at Half a Guinea each. N.B. Four Hundred Tickets will be deliver'd out, and after they are disposed of, no Person whatsoever will be admitted for Money. A proper Officer will attend at each Door, to deliver every Subscriber his Ticket, without which he will not be admitted. No Persons are to be be admitted behind the Scenes. To begin exactly at Six. Gallery 5 s.

By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, this present Friday, being the 25th of November, will be presented a Comedy call'd, She Wou'd, and She Wou'd Not; or, The Kind Impostor. Don Manuel by Mr. Cibber, Don Philip Mr. Booth, Don Octavio Mr. Wilks, Jun. Trapanti Mr. Penkethman, Diego Mr. Norris, Hippolita Mrs. Thurmond, Rosara Mrs. Booth, Flora Mrs. Younger, Viletta Mrs. Saunders. With Dancing by Mrs. Booth.

Lost the 22d Instant, between Hornsey and London, a Silver Watch and Chain; with the Maker's Name on the Dial-Plate Latham, with a Steel Key, and Silver Seal with this Coat, a Cross Engrailed Ermin. Whoever brings it to the Fountain Tavern in Bartholomew-Lane behind the Royal Exchange, shall have 3 Guineas Reward, and no Questions asked.

At Epsom in Surrey, is to be Lett the House and Shop late Mr. Alexander Findlator's, Apothecary, deceased. The Houshold Goods, Drugs, Medicines, and all Utensils thereunto belonging, To be Sold. Note, during his Life-time it was a Shop of good Trade. Enquire at Mr. Horner's, Upholsterer, at Story's Gate, Westminster, or at Mr. Horn's, Upholsterer, at the West End of St. Anne's, Soho, Westminster, or at the said House.

There is a considerable Quantity of Cannel Coal from Sir Roger Bradshaigh's Pits in Lancashire brought to Town, and are to be sold at Mr. Highmore's Wharf at Trigg-Stairs in Thames-street.

To be Lett by Lease, a large Piece of Ground lying over-against the Spittlegate in Bishopsgate-street (being very fit to build on) with several old Tenements thereon both of Brick and Timber, and also 5 other Tenements in Jewin-street. Inquire of the Clerk at Goldsmiths-Hall.

To be Sold,

A Lease for 40 Years, from the Dean and Chapter of Westminster, nigh to St. Margaret's Church, and Westminster Hall, 66 l. per Annum Ground-Rent, impress'd, to nigh 200 l. per Annum, with Ground to build on in the Middle of the Court call'd Spread Eagle Court. Enquire of Mr. Lambert, nigh the Horn Tavern in King-street, Westminster.

To be Sold a Penniworth,

A Copper, containing 25 Barrels, little the worse for using. Enquire at Mr. Bos's, Coppersmith, in Houndsditch.

Bibliotheca Curiosa: Or, A Catalogue of curious English Books, consisting of the best modern Divinity, History, Voyages, Travels, Poetry, Plays, Romances, Mathematicks, &c. of the best Editions, neatly bound, mostly gilt and letter'd, many perfectly new, and all in very good Condition: Which will be sold by Auction at Robin's Coffee-house in the Old-Jewry, near Cheapside, this Day the 25th Instant, begining every Evening at 5 a-Clock, and continue daily till all are Sold. Catalogues may be had gratis at the Rainbow Coffee-house at Fleet-bridge, Steele's Coffee-house in Bread-street, the Hanover Coffee-house in Finch-lane, Poole's Coffee-house without Bishopsgate, and at the Place of Sale.

A Course of Mechanical, Hydrostatical, Pneumatical, and Optical Experiments, by Benj. Worster, M. A. and Tho. Watts, of the Academy in Little Tower-street, to begin this Day the 25th Instant, at Six in the Evening. The Course will contain not only all that is usual, but likewise some Experiments which are entirely new, the Apparatus itself being new and compleat, and every thing contrived according to the latest Improvements; the whole being very diverting and useful, not only for those who have learn'd Mathematicks, but for such as are not acquainted with that Study. Catalogues may be had, and Subscriptions taken in, at the Place of Performance, at Mr. Clark's, Stationer, near the Royal Exchange, and at Mr. Innys's, Bookseller, at the West-End of St. Paul's Church.

On Monday the 28th Instant, at 6 in the Evening, will begin a Course of Experimental Philosophy, wherein the Principles of Medicines, Hydrostaticks, and Opticks, are prov'd and demonstrated by more than 300 Experiments. By J. T. Desaguliers, L. L. D. F. R. S. at his House in Channel-row, Westminster, where Subscriptions are taken in, and Catalogues of the Experiments may be had. N.B. There will be several additional Experiments and new Medicines, not used in former Courses.

Nov. 24, 1720. Whereas it was advertis'd in November last, that a considerable Number of Best-Trees, viz. Peaches, Nectarns, Apricocks, Plumbs, Apples grafted on Paradice Stocks, and also the best sort of Pears, were lately arrived from Orleans; these are to satisfy all Persons, that the said Trees are fit to be removed, without the least Danger, having made large Shoots, and are to be disposed of by Mr. Vanghein, Gardiner, next Door to a large House with a white Turret thereupon, at Brook Green, within the Hamblet of Hammersmith, at reasonable Rates. Tickets of the respective Sorts fixt on each Plant.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

This Day, the 25th Instant, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, at 5 a-Clock in the Afternoon, (only one Cask of Wine in a Lott) viz. 32 Butts of excellent old Sherry Wine, fine and fit for Bottling, and 1 ditto of Rota Tent; in a Vault next the Arch in Savage Gardens in Crutched-Fryars, 10 Pipes of Vidonia, and 2 ditto of Malmsey Madera Wines; in a Vault under the Trinity-House in Water-lane in Great Tower-street. Also 5 Hhds. of old Obrion Claret, in a Vault the upper end of Buttolph-lane in Little Eastcheap. To be seen and tasted all Day (as above) till the Time of Sale. To be sold by Tho. Harton and Wm. Gibson, Brokers.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

On Wednesday the 30th Instant, at Joe's (or Blue-Coat) Coffee-house in Sweethings-Alley behind the Royal Exchange, at 4 of the Clock in the Afternoon, 19 Chests of fine new Bellad'ne Pistaches Nutts, newly landed, and 30 Chests of fine new Maderas Citrons, just landed. Allotments will be delivered at the Coffee-house aforesaid, and by Stephen Mahieu, Broker.

John Marshall, Maker of Optick Glasses to his Majesty.

At the Archimides in Ludgate-street, London, having by long Experience observed that abundance of Peoples Sight is spoiled by using false Spectacles sold by Toymen and other ignorant Persons. To prevent which, he doth set the Age on the Frame, for every one to know the Sight they wear; for it often happens, that a Person of 30 takes Spectacles of 60 or 70, to the spoiling of their Sight, whereas if the Age had been known by the Buyer, he would not have used them. By the use of true Spectacles the Sight is much preserved, so that many Persons of 60 or 70 Years of Age, can on occasion read without them. Also Reading-Glasses and Spectacles of Rock Crystal, as well as Glass, Microscopes, Telescopes, and all other Optick Glasses, made to the exactest Perfection by him who is the only Person approved of by the Royal Society for the Art of Glass Grinding. John Marshall.

To Morrow will be Published,

Considerations on the present State of the Nation, as to publick Credit, Stocks, the Landed and Trading Interests. With a Proposal for the speedy lessening of the Publick Debts, and restoring Credit in a Manner consistent with Parliamentary Engagements. Sold by J. Roberts in Warwick-lane, and A. Dodd without Temple-bar. Price 1 s. Of both whom may be had, Mr. Milner's three Letters relating to the South-Sea, &c. Price 6d.

Ready to be delivered to the Subscribers.

The two last Volumes of Mr. Pope's Homer, printed on Royal Paper in 4to. His Poetical Works on Royal Paper, with his Homer, in 6 Vols. may be had for Ten Guineas, or Eight Guineas per Set bound and gilt. Ditto in large Paper Folio, Seven Guineas; ditto in small Paper, Four Guineas. Printed for Bernard Lintot, at the Cross-Keys between the Temple-Gates: Where may be had, Mr. Gay's Works, printed on Royal Paper in 4to; and Mr. Elisha Benton's Works, in 8vo.

Just Published.

The Farriers Dispensatory, in Three Parts. Containing, I. A Discription of the medicinal Simples, commonly made use of in the Diseases of Horses, with their Virtues and Manner of Operation, distributed into proper Classes, &c. II. The Preparations of Simples, Vegetable, Animal and Mineral; with an Explanation of the most usual Terms, both in the Chymical and Galenical Pharmacy. III. A Number of useful Compositions and Receipts suited to the Cure of all Diseases in Horses, never before published; as also those of greatest Account from Solleysell, Rumi, Blundevil, and other most celebrated Authors, digested under their proper Heads of Powders, Balls, Drinks, Ointments, Charges, &c. The proper Method of compounding and making them, with many other useful Observations and improvements tending to their right Administration. To which is also added, A compleat Index to all the Medicines contained in the Book, whether Simple or Compound, with a Table of Diseases pointing to the Remedies proper in each Malady. By W. Gibson, Author of the Farriers new Guide. Printed for W. Taylor, at the Ship and Black-Swan, in Pater-Noster-Row.

Specifick Drops for Deafness, Thickness of Hearing, Pain and Noise in the Ears, &c. The laudable Effects of which are truly surprising, for they remedy all Defects of the Hearing Faculty, tho' of some Years standing, almost in an Instant, casting those to Hear exceeding quick and well, who before were in a manner totally Deaf. They effectually remove all Pain occasioned by Cold, comfort and strengthen the Tympanum or Drum of the Ear, free the Auditory Nerve from Obstruction, and rectify all Disorders so absolutely, and in such a short Space of Time, that one would think it almost impossible, did not very great Experience evince the the Truth of it. To be had only at the Two Blue Posts in Haydon-Yard in the Minories, at 3 s. 6 d. a Bottle, with Directions.

The only true and original Royal Chymical Wash-Balls for the Hands and Face, are removed from Mr. Lambert's, the Glovers, to prevent the Publick's being imposed on by Counterfeits, which are not only ineffectual, but may also prove dangerous, and are now sold only at Mr. Allcroft's Toyshop, At the blue Coat Boy, against the Royal Exchange in Cornhill, and at Mrs. Giles, Milliner, next Hercules Pillars Alley by the Temple. They have above these Twenty Years been largely experienced, and highly commended for making the Skin so delicately soft and smooth, as not to be paralled'd by either Wash, Powder, Cosmetick, &c. Being indeed real Beautifiers of the Skin; taking off all Deformities as Tetters, Ring Worms, Morphew, Sun-burn, Scurf, Pimples, Pits or Redness of the Small-pox, keeping it of a lasting and extream white. They soon alter red or rough Hands, are admirable in shaving the Head, not only giving a more exquisite Sharpness to the Razor, but so comfort the Brain and Nerves as to prevent catching Cold. They are of a grateful and pleasant Scent, without the least Grain of Mercury. Price 1 s. each.

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